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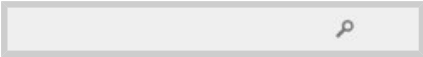
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Sailors from U.S. Naval Hospital Guam spent a few hours with retired Lt. Gen. Lawrence F. Snowden, a company commander on Iwo Jima and the senior surviving officer of the battle. Snowden was in Guam to participate in the annual memorial, called the Reunion of Honor, held on location in Iwo Jima. During the interview he shared stories about Iwo Jima and explained that he holds a special place in his heart for Navy Corpsmen and USNH Guam. Medical Staff from the hospital cared for him when he was injured during the battle of Iwo Jima that sent him off the island. Snowden also served with the 3d Marine Division on Guam serving with the 3d Marines and 9th Marines respectively until December 1945. Snowden retired from the Marine Corps after more than 37 years of service. (pictured left to right) Hospital Corpsman 3rd Class Joseph Randleman; Hospital Corpsman 1st Class Narider Limtengco; Retired Lt. Gen. Lawrence Snowden; Capt. Jeff Plummer, commanding officer, USNH Guam; and Hospital Corpsman 2nd Class Christopher Shaffer, Sailor of the Year. (Photo by Lt. Cmdr. Matt Knight, Joint Region Marianas)



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Commander, Naval Medical Center San Diego (NMCSD) and Navy Medicine West Rear Adm. Bruce L. Gillingham shakes hands with a member of the Singapore Armed Forces during a visit in which delegates from Singapore took a tour and met with officials at NMCSD. The delegation discussed medical preparedness and collaborative efforts between the two nations. (Photo by Mass Communication Specialist 3rd Class Justin W. Galvin)



Lt. Cmdr. Christopher Pulliam, a Surgical Podiatrist of the Orthopedics Department at U.S. Naval Hospital Guam explains how a bunion, which is a "bump" on the joint at the base of the big toe, is formed when the bone or tissue at the big toe joint moves out of place. (Photo courtesy of U.S. Naval Hospital Guam)

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Naval Medical Center San Diego (NMCSD) and Navy Medicine West Command Master Chief Hosea Smith Jr. holds up a sign encouraging Sailors to not drink and drive. The "Same Day, No Way" and "Keep What You've Earned" rally was put on by NMCSD's Drug and Alcohol Programs Advisor to encourage those leaving base to make safe decisions. (Photo by Mass Communication Specialist 3rd Class Pyoung K. Yi)



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